

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, NATO PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY DELEGATION TO GERMANY, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN NOV. 17 AND NOV. 21, 2000—Continued

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Hon. Vernon Ehlers .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Hon. Scott McInnis .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Hon. Norm Sisisky .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Hon. John Tanner .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Susan Olson .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Robin Evans .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
John Herzberg .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
David Hobbs .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Scott Palmer .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Linda Pedigo .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
J. Walker Roberts .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Josephine Weber .....	11/17	11/21	Germany .....		972.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				972.00
Committee total .....					15,477.00						15,477.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

DOUGLAS BEREUTER, December 12, 2000.

### EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

11385. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Cranberries Grown in the States of Massachusetts, et al.; Increased Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV00-929-5 FR] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11386. A letter from the Associate Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Walnuts Grown in California; Increased Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV00-984-2 FR] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11387. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Thiamethoxam; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301080; FRL-6755-7] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11388. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clomazone; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301084; FRL-6756-1] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11389. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Health Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting a semiannual Report on Pharmaceutical Benefits; to the Committee on Armed Services.

11390. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter regarding the amount of Department of Defense purchases from foreign entities for Fiscal Year 2000 pursuant to Section 827 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1997 (Public Law 104-201) as amended by Section 812 of the Strom Thurmond National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1999 (Public Law 105-261); to the Committee on Armed Services.

11391. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report on the OMB Estimate For Pay-As-You-Go Calculations; to the Committee on the Budget.

11392. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—AmeriCorps Education Awards (RIN: 3045-AA09) received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

11393. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medical Device: Exemption From Premarket Notification; Class II Devices; Barium Enema Retention Catheters and Tips With or Without a Bag [Docket No. OOP-1343] received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11394. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; State of Colorado; Colorado Springs Revised Carbon Monoxide Maintenance Plan, and Approval of a Related Revision [CO-001-0044a; FRL-6875-5] received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11395. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan; Wyoming; Revisions to Air Pollution Regulations [WY-001-0006a; FRL-6886-8] received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11396. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Guidelines Establishing Test Procedures for the Analysis of Pollutants Under the Clean Water Act; National Primary Drinking Water Regulations; and National Secondary Drinking Water Regulations; Methods Update [FRL-6918-2] received December 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11397. A letter from the Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting the reports entitled "National Survey of Parents and Youth Questionnaires for Waves 1 and 2" and "Evaluation of the National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign: Campaign Exposure and Baseline Measurement of Correlates of Illicit Drug Use From November 1999 Through May 2000"; to the Committee on Commerce.

11398. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of

State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold under a contract to Turkey [Transmittal No. DTC 065-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11399. A letter from the Deputy Independent Counsel, Office of the Independent Counsel, transmitting the FY 2000 report pursuant to the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

11400. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the Office's final rule—Prompt Payment—received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

11401. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—West Virginia Regulatory Program [WV-086-FOR] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

11402. A letter from the Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Final Designation of Critical Habitat for the Plant *Lesquerella thamnophila* (Zapata Bladderpod) (RIN: 1018-AG24) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

11403. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Herring Fishery; Atlantic Herring Fishery Management Plan [Docket No. 000105004-0260-02; I.D. 063099A] (RIN: 0648-A178) received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

11404. A letter from the Senior Counsel for Dispute Resolution, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interim Statement of Policy on Alternative Dispute Resolution [Docket OST-2000-7800] (RIN: 2105-AC94) received November 20, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11405. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-120 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-121-AD; Amendment 39-11958; AD 2000-22-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11406. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Learjet Model 45 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-132-AD; Amendment 39-11950; AD 2000-22-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11407. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; New Bern, NC [Airspace Docket No. 00-ASO-41] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11408. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of Class E4 Airspace; Meridian NAS—McCain Field, MS [Airspace Docket No. 00-ASO-40] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11409. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-120 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-130-AD; Amendment 39-11954; AD 2000-22-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11410. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision to the Legal Description of the Shaw Air Force Base Class C Airspace Area; SC [Airspace Docket No. 00-AWA-2] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11411. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Guidelines on Awarding Section 319 Grants to Indian Tribes in FY 2001 [FRL-6919-8] received December 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11412. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting a report on an interim lease prospectus for the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11413. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Relief for Service in Combat Zone and for Presidentially Declared Disaster [TD 8911] (RIN: 1545-AV92) received December 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

11414. A letter from the Chairman, The Advisory Panel to Assess Domestic Response Capabilities For Terrorism Involving Weapons of Mass Destruction, transmitting the Panel's second annual report entitled, "Toward a National Strategy for Combating Terrorism"; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Transportation and Infrastructure.

11415. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Depart-

ment's report entitled "Energy Policy Act Transportation Rate Study: Final Report on Coal Transportation," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 13369(c); jointly to the Committees on Commerce and Transportation and Infrastructure.

11416. A letter from the Administrator, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting the quarterly update of the report required by Section 653(a) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, entitled "Development Assistance and Child Survival/Diseases Program Allocations-FY 2000"; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

11417. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report entitled "Barry M. Goldwater Range Non-Renewed Parcels Study"; jointly to the Committees on Resources and Armed Services.

11418. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report that identifies accounts containing unvouchered expenditures that are potentially subject to audit by the Comptroller General, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3524(b); jointly to the Committees on the Budget, Appropriations, and Government Reform.

11419. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled "Effectiveness of HIPAA and State Laws in Ensuring Access to Health Insurance in the Small Group and Individual Markets"; jointly to the Committees on Commerce, Education and the Workforce, and Ways and Means.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

*[December 15 (legislative day of December 14), 2000]*

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 674. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 133) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-1030). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 675. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 134) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-1031). Referred to the House Calendar.

*[Submitted December 15, 2000]*

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 4577. A bill making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-1033). Ordered to be printed.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 5666. A bill making miscellaneous appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. TALENT (for himself and Ms. VELAZQUEZ):

H.R. 5667. A bill to provide for reauthorization of small business loan and other pro-

grams, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. KNOLLENBERG:

H.R. 5668. A bill to repeal provisions of Federal law requiring labeling on saccharin containing foods; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. KASICH:

H.R. 5669. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide that the Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund be excluded from the budget of the United States Government; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. KASICH:

H.R. 5670. A bill to ensure that the receipts and disbursements of the Social Security trust funds are not included in a unified Federal budget; to the Committee on the Budget.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H.R. 5671. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to establish election day in Presidential election years as a legal public holiday by moving the legal public holiday known as Veterans Day to election day in such years, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H.R. 5672. A bill to establish a commission to develop uniform standards which may be adopted by States for the administration of elections for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. CANNON:

H.R. 5673. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a safe harbor for voluntary monitoring by e-commerce sites; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DAVIS of Virginia (for himself, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mrs. WILSON):

H.R. 5674. A bill to establish an Election Administration Commission to study Federal, State, and local voting procedures and election administration and provide grants to modernize voting procedures and election administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. EHRLICH:

H.R. 5675. A bill to amend title 39, United States Code, with respect to "cooperative mailings"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GREENWOOD (for himself, Mr. FROST, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida):

H.R. 5676. A bill to establish a Commission for the comprehensive study of voting procedures in Federal, State, and local elections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HOLT:

H.R. 5677. A bill to establish a Commission to study and make recommendations on the implementation of standardized voting procedures in the Federal, State and local electoral process, and for other purposes; to the